

# Alaska Local and Regional Information

## Workforce Info

### Eielson AFB

Eielson Air Force Base is an unincorporated CDP located about 25 miles south of Fairbanks, off of the Richardson Highway near the city of North Pole. Eielson AFB is part of the Fairbanks North Star Borough.

- ♦ The estimated population for 2008 was 2,858, a loss of about 2,542 since the 2000 Census.
- ♦ About 26 percent of the resident population 16+ years old worked in 2008.
- ♦ Local Government was the main industry in 2008, employing 20 percent of the area's workers.
- ♦ More workers were employed as Teacher Assistants than any other occupation.

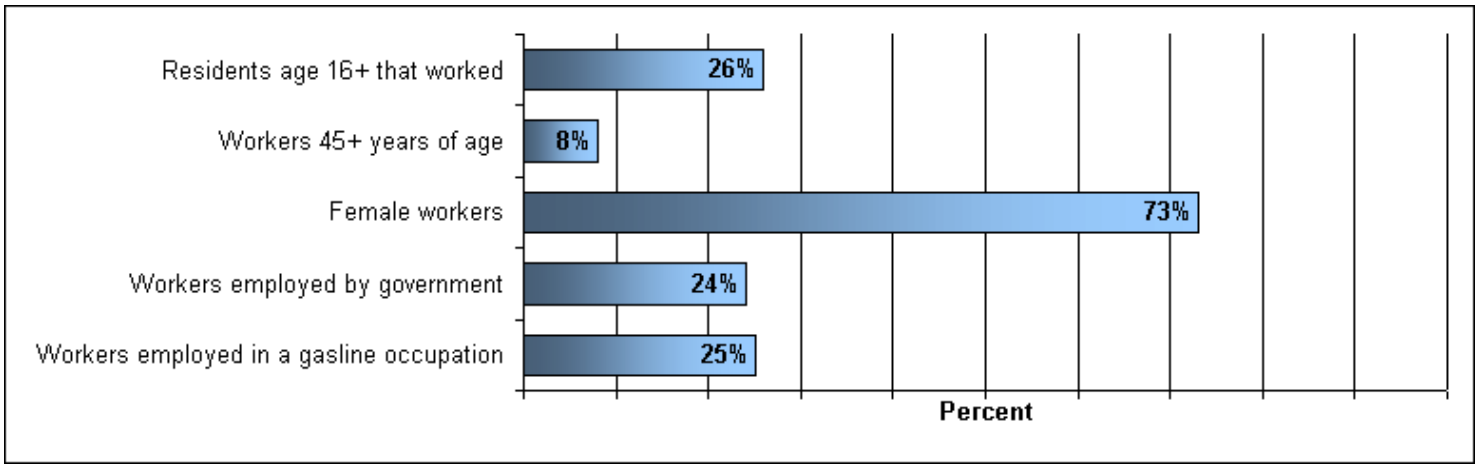
Please note: There is an important distinction between the local/regional employment data and our "standard" employment series. Most of these data reflect totals for area residents only. Total worker counts may be lower than expected in areas with a large number of nonresident workers. The Alaska Permanent Fund dividend file is used to determine the worker's geographic residence. Only Alaska residents (as defined by PFD application) are included in these totals. Also note that federal employees, the military, and the self-employed are not included in these data.

#### Eielson AFB Resident Snapshot (2008)

Working Age Residents		Wages	
Residents age 16+	952	Total wages	\$4,528,980
Resident Worker Characteristics		Resident Workers by Sector	
Total	250	Private	190
Male	68	State government	9
Female	182	Local government	51
Age 45+	19	Quarterly Number of Resident Workers	
Age 50+	7	Peak (2nd) quarter workers	185
		Percent working all 4 quarters	45.6%
Unemployment		Construction/AGIA Occupation Experience (2004-2008)	
UI Claimants	19	Some construction	42
		At least 1 year construction	27
New Hires		At least 2 years construction	13
New hires	111	Worked in an <b>AGIA</b> occupation	131

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## 2008 Residents

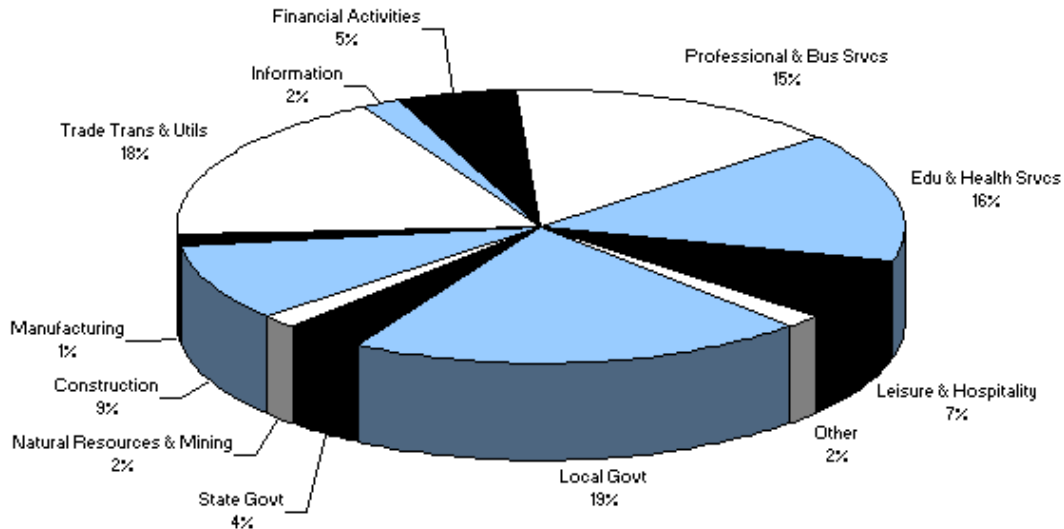


## Top Occupations

	Number employed	Percent female	Age 45+	Age 50+
Teacher Assistants	32	93.8%	2	0
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Workers, All Other	12	50.0%	0	0
Plumbers, Pipefitters, and Steamfitters <b>AGIA HOT JOB</b>	11	90.9%	0	0
Retail Salespersons	9	55.6%	1	0
Registered Nurses <b>HOT JOB</b>	9	66.7%	1	0
Janitors and Cleaners, Except Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners <b>AGIA</b>	8	62.5%	1	0
Cashiers	7	85.7%	1	0
Security Guards <b>AGIA</b>	7	42.9%	1	1
Combined Food Preparation and Serving Workers, Including Fast Food	6	83.3%	0	0
Teachers and Instructors, All Other	5	100.0%	2	0
Office Clerks, General <b>AGIA</b>	5	100.0%	1	1

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## Resident Workers by Industry



### Workers by Industry

	Number employed	Percent female	Age 45+	Age 50+
Natural Resources and Mining	*	*	*	*
Construction	23	43.5%	0	0
Manufacturing	*	*	*	*
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	45	62.2%	2	0
Information	*	*	*	*
Financial Activities	13	92.3%	0	0
Professional and Business Services	37	75.7%	0	0
Educational and Health Services	39	76.9%	3	0
Leisure and Hospitality	18	77.8%	0	0
State Government	9	44.4%	3	3
Local Government	51	90.2%	8	3
Other	*	*	*	*
Unknown	0	0.0%	0	0

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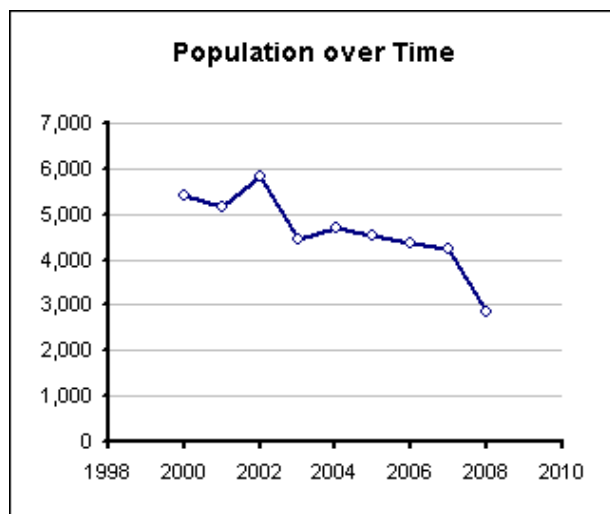
### Recent Unemployment Statistics

	09/2009	10/2009	11/2009	12/2009
UI Claimants**	3	4	4	4

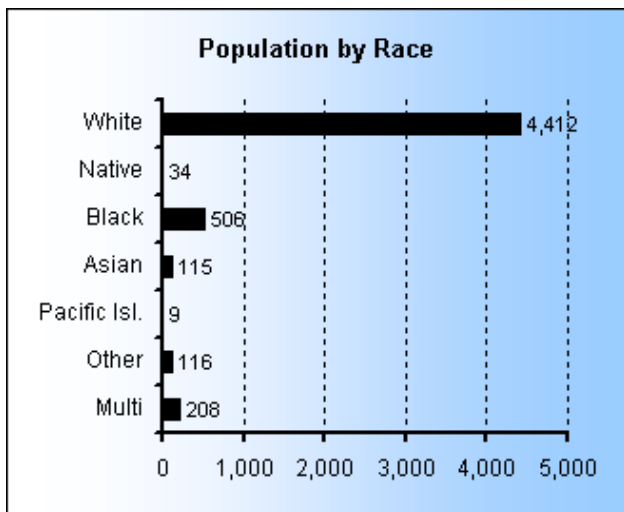
\*\*UI claimants are individuals in this area who had an active claim at any time during the month.

## Top Employers (ranked by number of workers)

Fairbanks North Star School District
DGR Associates Inc
Rome Research Corporation
Banner Health System
FBKS Resource Agency
University of AK
Tanana Valley Med Surg Grp Inc
Chenega Integrated Systems LLC
Wal-Mart Associates Inc
National Maintenance Inc
Military Deli & Bakery Svc Inc
State of AK (excludes U of A)
Eielson Thrift Shop
Superior Janitorial Svcs Inc
Fred Meyer Stores Inc
AK USA Federal Credit Union
Wayland Baptist University



2000 Census	
Median Age	22.3
Average Family Size	3.6
Average Household Size	3.5
Per Capita Income	\$11,512
Median Family Income	\$35,688
Median Household Income	\$35,938



(Note: Racial classification is based on self identification. The "Multi" category consists of those who claim to be members of more than one race. The "Native" category includes Alaska Natives and American Indians.)

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section  
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